

## PUBLIC RECORD REQUEST RESPONSE FORM

Rutherford County Government

Governmental Entity Name and Address: 303 N. Church Street, STE 200, Murfreesboro, TN 37130

Date: 3/23/19

Carlton Purvis; 70790-39061747@requests.muckrock.com

Requestor's Name and Contact Information: 411A Highland Avenue, Somerville, MA 02111-2516

In response to your records request received on 3/22/19 *[Date Request Received]* our office is taking the action(s)<sup>1</sup> indicated below:

- The public record(s) responsive to your request will be made available for inspection:

Location: 303 N. Church Street, Ste 200, Murfreesboro, TN 37130

Date & Time: \_\_\_\_\_

- Copies of public record(s) responsive to your request are:

Attached;

Available for pickup at the following location:

303 N. Church Street, Ste 200, Murfreesboro, TN 37130; or

Being delivered via:  USPS First-Class Mail  Electronically  Other: \_\_\_\_\_.

- Your request is denied on the following grounds:

Your request was not sufficiently detailed to enable identification of the specific requested record(s).

You need to provide additional information to identify the requested record(s).

No such record(s) exists or this office does not maintain record(s) responsive to your request.

No proof of Tennessee citizenship was presented with your request. Your request will be reconsidered upon presentation of an adequate form of identification.

You are not a Tennessee citizen.

You have not paid the estimated copying/production fees.

The following state, federal, or other applicable law prohibits disclosure of the requested records:  
Active investigation; TN Rules of Crim Pro Rule 16

- It is not practicable for the records you requested to be made promptly available for inspection and/or copying because:

It has not yet been determined that records responsive to your request exist; or

The office is still in the process of retrieving, reviewing, and/or redacting the requested records.

The time reasonably necessary to produce the record(s) or information and/or to make a determination of a proper response to your request is: \_\_\_\_\_.

If you have any additional questions regarding your record request, please contact [Records Custodian or Public Records Request Coordinator].

Sincerely,



Sonya Stephenson, Records Coordinator, 615-494-4480, ssstephenson@rutherfordcountytn.gov

[Name, Title, and Contact Information]

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<sup>1</sup> If all requested records do not have the same response, so indicate.

## Sonya Stephenson

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**From:** 70790-39061747@requests.muckrock.com  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 21, 2019 3:30 PM  
**To:** Sonya Stephenson  
**Subject:** Tennessee Public Records Act Request: FOIA - Rutherford County Sheriff - Operation Candy Crush

Rutherford County Sheriff  
TPRA Office  
940 New Salem Highway  
Murfreesboro, TN 37129

March 21, 2019

To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the Tennessee Public Records Act, I hereby request the following records:

All documents, reports, and emails pertaining to "Operation Candy Crush".

For assistance in turning over responsive records, here is a brief explanation of the operation from a local news source:

"Two weeks ago, authorities in Rutherford County carried out "Operation Candy Crush," which led to the padlocking of 23 stores. In all, 21 people were indicted for selling gummy candies allegedly containing a marijuana derivative.

Samples were bought undercover and then sent to the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation for further analysis. "  
[<https://www.newschannel5.com/news/charges-could-be-dropped-in-operation-candy-crush> ]

The requested documents will be made available to the general public, and this request is not being made for commercial purposes.

In the event that there are fees, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 7 business days, as the statute requires.

Please note that I am a citizen of Tennessee, and am using MuckRock's services to help manage and track my request.

Sincerely,

Carlton Purvis

Filed via MuckRock.com

E-mail (Preferred): 70790-39061747@requests.muckrock.com

Upload documents directly: [https://www.muckrock.com/accounts/agency\\_login/rutherford-county-sheriff-11492/foia-rutherford-county-sheriff-operation-candy-crush-70790/?uuid-login=b27a8687-d449-497e-a9ec-f5a0d4d7f44c&email=sstephenson%40rutherfordcountytn.gov#agency-reply](https://www.muckrock.com/accounts/agency_login/rutherford-county-sheriff-11492/foia-rutherford-county-sheriff-operation-candy-crush-70790/?uuid-login=b27a8687-d449-497e-a9ec-f5a0d4d7f44c&email=sstephenson%40rutherfordcountytn.gov#agency-reply)

Is this email coming to the wrong contact? Something else wrong? Use the above link to let us know.

For mailed responses, please address (see note):

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DEPT MR 70790  
411A Highland Ave  
Somerville, MA 02144-2516

PLEASE NOTE: This request is not filed by a MuckRock staff member, but is being sent through MuckRock by the above in order to better track, share, and manage public records requests. Also note that improperly addressed (i.e., with the requester's name rather than "MuckRock News" and the department number) requests might be returned as undeliverable.

